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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

DAVID ANGSTADT and BARBARA ANGSTADT, h/w, Parents and Natural Guardians of MEGAN ANGSTADT, a Minor, 4 CIVIL GO.V - 02 - 0145
(JUDGE NCC) JRE

COMPLAINT FILED:

Plaintiffs

JURY TRIAL DEMANDED

vs.

MIDD-WEST SCHOOL DISTRICT,

Defendants

APPLICATION FOR TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER PURSUANT TO FED. R. CIV. P. 65

AND NOW come Plaintiffs, by and through their counsel, Jeffrey C. Dohrmann, Esquire, and set forth as follows:

1. A verified Complaint has been filed contemporaneously herewith as required by Fed. R. Civ. P. 65, and is incorporated herein by reference as though fully set forth.

- 2. Megan Angstadt will suffer immediate, irreparable harm if a temporary restraining order in the form of an injunction requiring Defendant to permit Megan Angstadt to practice, play and compete in interscholastic basketball for Defendant is not granted.
- 3. Because Megan Angstadt is in the ninth grade, given the time it would take for trial in this matter, and given the potential for appeals after trial and the length of time it would take for such appeals to be resolved, the failure to enter a temporary restraining order in the form of an injunction requiring Defendant to permit Megan Angstadt to practice, play and compete in interscholastic basketball for Defendant, could effectively prohibit Megan Angstadt from ever practicing, playing or competing in middle school and high school interscholastic basketball, and obtaining the educational and other benefits thereof.
- 4. In addition, the current interscholastic basketball regular season for Defendant ends with a game on February 11, 2002.
- 5. The entering of such an Order would not prejudice Defendant in any way.
- 6. Plaintiffs' counsel spoke with Defendant's Superintendent, Merrill S. Arnold, at 9:05 a.m. on January 28, 2002, notifying him that a

Complaint would be filed and a temporary restraining order sought unless Defendant believed this matter could be resolved short of litigation.

- 7. Superintendent Arnold advised Plaintiffs' counsel that the matter could not be resolved short of litigation.
- 8. Superintendent Arnold advised Plaintiffs' counsel of the identity, address, phone number and fax number of Defendant's counsel, Alan Levin, Esquire.
- 9. Plaintiffs' counsel then spoke by telephone with Attorney Levin at 10:50 a.m. on January 28, 2002, after a prior attempt to contact Mr. Levin resulted in no answer at his office, and notified him of the filing of the Complaint and this Application, and that copies of the same would be faxed to him.
- 10. Plaintiffs' counsel has mailed and faxed the Complaint and this Application to both Superintendent Arnold and Attorney Levin contemporaneously with the filing of the same.
- 11. Based upon the foregoing, Plaintiffs seek a Temporary Restraining
 Order in the form of an injunction requiring Defendant to permit
 Megan Angstadt to practice, play and compete in interscholastic
 basketball for Defendant during the pendency of this action and as

long as Plaintiffs and Megan Angstadt fulfill the reasonable requirements so to do.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiffs respectfully request This

Honorable Court grant this Application for Temporary Restraining

Order, issue an immediate injunction requiring Defendant to

permit Megan Angstadt to practice, play and compete in

interscholastic basketball for Defendant during the pendency of

this action and as long as Plaintiffs and Megan Angstadt fulfill the

reasonable requirements so to do, and setting this matter down for

trial on the remaining issues.

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CERTIFICATION OF COUNSEL REGARDING NOTICE

AND NOW comes Jeffrey C. Dohrmann, Esquire, and certifies that he personally made the efforts to notify Defendant and its counsel of this Application and the contemporaneously filed Complaint as such efforts are described in the foregoing Application.

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Sworn to and subscribed

Before me this 29^{19}

of January . 20

Notary Public

My Commission expires:

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City of Williamsport, Lycoming County
My Commission Expires July 9, 2005

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